We learn that Mr. Andrew Downs, ceived Australian Love Birds, and Shell Dra. The forwarded to him by the London Socy.

A passenger by the steamer Arabicast evening, while passing along the gangy to the wharf, was jostled overboard, and hat not been that he was an expert swimmer, heould, probably, have lost his life.—Express.

a port in the U. States about 8 hs. since.

PLUMBAGO IN ANNAPOLIS .- . B. K. Dodge, of this town, has shewn us specimen of the finest plumbago, a mineral of ry considerable value, which he discovered ahort time ago, not many miles from where write this. He says there are probably man tons of it in the deposit from which his saple was taken. With the exception of diarnd, plumbago is said to be the purest form ofarbon. The same gentleman has also discoved coal, Portland stone, copper and lead, son deposits of which may ultimately prove value. - Register.

During the absence fro home of Mr. John Lawrock of Barrington, the 18th inst., his daughter was taken in ait, fell into the fire and melancholy to relateras burnt to death.

Our spirited fellow citen. A. Primrose Esq, has presented the Scotth Volunteers with a beautiful gold medal, fo the best shot in the Company. The designs St. Andrew's Cross enclosed by a rim, on or side of which is the following motto :- "Nep me impune lacessit;" on the reverse, " Presited to the Scottish Volunteer Rifle Compan by A. Primrose, for the best shot." The med was executed by Mr. F. Traunweiser. - Expre.

ROYAL ACADIAN SCHOOL .- The Annual deserves the commued support of the commu-

Pay. Free.

Boys,......75.....40......115

Girls,....80.....36......116

Total,....231 The following office bearers were appointed for the ensuing year :- J. C. Hume, Esq., M.D., President; R Noble, Esq., Vice President; John Thomison, Esq., Treasurer; Executive Committee—Dr. Cogswell, John Metzler, John Gibson, John Naylor, J. C. Cogswell, W. L. Bell, W. Lavson, and Archibald Scott, Esqrs.; Joseph Bell, Esq., Secretary.

A Grand 3all was given on board H. M. S. Nile, on Tiursday evening, by his Excellency Rear Admiral Sir Alex. Milne, Capt. Barnard, and the officers of the ship. Among the company were Lord and Lady Mulgrave, the General, and suite—several members of the Government, His Worship the Mayor, and the Mayor of Montreal and other distinguished visitors.

Captain Sampson of the steamer Merlin reports that on the 12th instant, lat. 25, lon. 65, fell in with a vessel bottom up—sent a boat to ascertain what she was, but there being a heavy sea could not make out the name, it being under woter. There was a spread eagle painted on the upper part of the stern. She appeared to be about 80 feet keel-bottom quite cleanvessel apparently new. She was surrounded by sharks.

A young man named Henry Blythe, fell yesterday morning from a staging at the back of the large stone building in Granville street, recently occupied by the telegraph office, a height of about 35 feet to the ground. He was seriously, but it is believed not fatally injured.—Ib.

VINEYARDS IN CALIFORNIA.—It is getting to be so common a thing in California to find yards of eight or ten thousand vines, that they are not deemed any more worthy of notice than aglittle patch of a thousand acres of wheat. So rapid is the increase of vines, and the manufacture of wine in that State, that the day is not distant when ships sent with cargoes (if, indeed, we have anything to send,) from this city, will return freighted with wine-casks; and California wine will be as common in this city as wine from France. It also asserted that raisins can be manufactured in California, and will be as soon as the price of labor finds level corresponding with other grape-growing

Strumous or Scrofulous affections are the curse, the blight, the potatoe rot of mankind. They are vile and filthy as well as fatal. They arise from contamination and impurity of the blood, and are to be seen all around us everywhere. One quarter of all we meet are tainted with them, and one quarter of these die of them: die foolishly too, because they are cursble. AYER'S SARSAPARILLA cleanses out the Scrofulous corruption from the blood, renders ir pure and healthy, and effectually expurges the foul contamination from the system. No longer groun under your Scrofulous disorders, since the irresistable AYER has provided his masterly combination of curative virtues that he calls BARSAPARILLA .- Democrat, Waterbury, Ct.

AN AFFLICTIVE PROVIDENCE. - On Saturby the R. M. Steamer from Englan's few day evening, June 30th, two young men Joseph Foster, and Johnson Corbit, went to the shore at Love Birds are exceedingly beautiful d were Chute's Cove, Granville, and finding a birch Canoe, got in and shoved off from the shore about a stones throw, when it upset. After a few struggles Foster sank, and when taken from the water in about half an hour after, life was extinct. Corbit was rescued by two little boys who were on the shore; this alarming providence has cast a deep gloom all around. Mr. Foster N. S. Baptist Home Missionary Society A letter was received in Cornwis recently, was a very interesting young man, highly esby which we learn that W. T. Jan of Halifax, teemed by all who knew him, he made a profession brother-in-law of Mr. Tidmarsh, ell from the of religion a year ago last spring, but owing to yard-arm of the ship, in which had been en- some fears he did not unite with the Church, yet gaged in the whale fishery, and ceived serious his consistent conduct lead us to the conclusion injuries and died in a few hours The ship left that the change he professed was real. A large family mourn his early removal; the Sons of the Churches the Union Society principle had Temperance too have lost a valued member of their Order, and society in general a young man of promise. May the Lord in mercy sanctify the bereavement to the benefit of all. A large concourse attended the funeral, when the writer improved the occasion from Psalm xlvi. 10 -"Be still, and know that I am God."-Communicated by Rev. P. F. Murray.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

Are now so well known, it is hardly necessary to recount their virtues. The reputation they have acquired in these provinces is but an example of that which they have now for themselves in almost every be accepted. At the same time, this Board, in acsection of the Old as well as the New World. Highly complimentary letters have been received from Emperors Kings and high official dignitaries, Statesman | Society in these offices. Physicians and Clergymen in every land, who have been benefitted by their use. These Pills though no cureall, may be justly termed an Universa Medicine. High and low, rich and poor in every section of the world acknowledge their Virtues. Purely vegetabe in their composition it is beleived that they are the best purgative that can be made.

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P. K.

We have but little confidence in the trumphet tongued statements of the proprietors of advertized medicines generally, but we are forced to concur in Meeting of the Royl Acadian School Society the opinion, uniformly expressed by all who have used was held at the Schol Room, on the 22nd ultimo Perry Davis' Pain Killer, that it is a very valuable John Williamson, Eq., Vice President, in the article, and one that it would be well for every housechair. Reports wee submitted from the Execu- holder to have at hand, in case of bruises, scalds, burns, diarrhœa, disentery, cholera, fever and ague, tive Commutee, an the Superintendents of the and the host of diseases, external and internal, which Male and Female epartments, Mr. A. Garvie it is adapted to cure or alleviate. No article of medi- Rev. W. H. Humphrey, Hon. J. W. Johnston, and Miss Daniels, giving satisfactory evidence of cine ever attained to such unbounded popularity and the prosperity of he school, and shewing that extensive diffusion. Invented only sixteen years while among the idest it is still one of the most since, its curative powers have been experienced by useful of our educational institutions, and well many, many thousands in every section of the united even the most remote of the known world, bearing The numbers it present attending are as fol- the spices of "Araby the blessed." We are informed by our principal druggists that they sell more of this article for exportation than of any or all others, and that the demand is constantly increasing .- Salem Ob-

> The stain on linen from the use of the Pain Killer is easily removed by washing in a little alchohol. Agents in Halifax .- Geo. E. Morton & Co., Avery, Brown & Co., and Morton & Cogswell.

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C	Coffee, Laguyra, "9d. a 10d.	
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	Cuba, "45s.	١
1	Molasses, Muscovado, per gal.,ls. 6d. Clayed, "ls. 3d.	١
1	Beef, Prime, per bbl.,	1
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1	Salmon, No. 1, per bbl.,80s.	
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1	Book Tweek north 31d a 4d	
1	Bacon, "	
	Butter, "1s. a 1s. 1½d Cheese, "6d. a 7d.	-
	Calf-skins, "	
	Yarn, "28. 6d.	
1	Eggs, per dozen,10d. Poultry,—Chickens, per pair,2s. a 2s. 3d.	
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Letters Received.

Will be acknowledged next week.

NOTICES.

Dr. John Knox will preach in the Temperance Hall on Lord's-day, August 5, at seven o'clock in the evening.

For the information of the public we are requested to state that at a late meeting of the Home Missionary Board, the Rev. I. J. Skinner informed the Board that during the four or five months in which he had been employed as Agent of the Society, he had learned that in several of been, to some extent, in operation, and that under the present circumstances of the Society, and with the hope that the pastors of the churches would press the claims of the Society upon their people and so avoid the expenditure connected with the Agency, he tendered his resignation of both the Agency and Secretaryship.

At a subsequent meeting of the Board, the consideration of the question was resumed, and the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the resignation by Brother I. J. Skinner of the offices of Agent and Secretary of this Society, tendered by him at our last meeting, cepting Brother Skinner's resignation, would express their firm conviction that he has faithfully served the

Resolved, That Brother McLearn, the Chairman of the Board, be respectfully requested, at present, to attend to the duties of Secretary.

Brother McLearn having consented to comply with the request of the Board, requests that all correspondence connected with the Home Missionary Society, be addressed to him: "Rev R. McLearn, Halifax."

The following is the list of the officers and Board of Managers of this Society for the ensuing

J. W. BARSS, Esq., President. JOHN KING, Esq., Vice Presidents. R. McLearn, Esq., S. W. L. Evans, Esq., Auditor.
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The Home Mission Board will meet this day Wednesday, August 1st, at 4 o'clock, P. M., at the office of W. L. Evans, Esq.

R. McLEARN, Chairman.

Nova Scotia Baptist Anniversaries.

The Fifteenth Annual Session of the Baptist Convention of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and P. E. ISLAND, will commence at Sackville, New Bruns wick, on Thursday, the 23rd of August, at 2, P. M.

Rare Opportunity.

ISAAC HALE, Jr. & Co., Newburyport, Mass., will employ Males and Females to act as local or travelling agents. Those now in their employ average from \$30 to \$80 per month. We cannot in this advertisement, particularize the business, but we will in a circular, (free of cost,) to all who address us upon the subject. This is a rare opportunity for those out of employment to obtain an honorable situation. July 11.

On Wednesday, 25th inst., by the Rev. P. G. Mc-Gregor, Mr. Robert W. Detson, to Elizabeth, daughter of Michael McCulloch, Esq.

Marriages.

At Cornwallis, on the 24th of June, by the Rev. James Thomas, Mr. John Smith, to Miss Isabella At Lakeville, Cornwallis, by the Rev. J. Parker,

Mr. Richard K. Angus, of Wolfville, to Miss Ruth At Yarmouth, on 4th inst., by the Rev. J. T. Moody, Mr. Henry Philips, of Halifax, to Miss Jane

Stephenson, of Yarmouth, N. S.

Deaths.

At Ragged Islands, on the 20th inst., Mr. Charles Hardy, aged 77 years. On the 23th inst., Cornelius Driscoll, in the 76th On the 24th inst., George W., son of Archibald H. Gay, aged 4 months. At the Poor's Asylum, July 23, Sarah Robinson,

(coloured) 70 years of age. At the Poor's Asylum, July 24, James Parsons, aged 85 years, a native of England. At Aylesford, June 12th, of cancer in the face, Mr. Silas Parker, aged 69 years. Supported by the hope of the Gospel, he died in peace.

At Beech Hill, Horton, May 26, Mr. James Crow, At Kentville, May 25, aged 1 year and 7 months, Leona Idelana, daughter of W. H. and Mary E. Sco-

At Cornwallis, July 9th, of diptheria, aged 7 years, Harriet, daughter of Mr. William Forsythe. At Cold Brook, Cornwallis, of diptheria, aged 45 years, Emily, wife of Mr. Isaac Loomer, and daughter of Mr. Eyre Crow. At West Yarmouth, July 14th, of measles, Amos

B., eldest son of Mr. Stephen Churchill, in the 22nd year of his age. Ht Sydney, on Monday, 16th insc., John C. Ritchie, Esq., in the 85th year of his age, a native of Annapo-

Portraits of the Prince of Wales with Engravings of the Royal Family of England just received at the News Agency of G. E. Morton & Co.

WHAT THEY SAY IN ENGLAND -The "News of the World" with an account of the departure of the Prince of Wales in H M. S. Hero for British America accompanied by the Squadron from Plymouth, published July 14th, may be obtained on the arrival of the Mail Steamer Canada, at the News Agency of G E. Morton & Co. Granville street where also may be had Portraits of the Prince—the Roya Family, &c.

IT Subscriptions taken for all London Periodicals

TPA case Toilet Requisites:-Burnett's Cocoaine for the Hair, Burnett's Oriental wash for the teeth, Burnett's Kalliston for the comp exion, Burnett's Florimel fo: the handwerchief, Also-Rowlands Odonto for the teeth, Rowlands Macassor Oil for the hair Saunder's Bloom of Ninon for the face, Glycerine Wash for chapped hands, Delusan's Restorative for the hair, Blodgett's Persian Balm for shaving. Rimmell's Benzoline for cleaning gloves. Saunder's Fragrant Sachets for wardrobes. Hooper's Silver Pills to sweeten the breath. Mason's Alpine Balm and Hair Dresser. Herring's Magnetic Hair Brushes and Combs At the Medical Warehouse of G. E. Morton & Co. D Observe the address-39 Granville Street.

Arrived.

WEDNESDAY, July 25 .- R. M. S. Canada, Liverpool, 11 days; Schrs. Lady Mulgrave, Newell, Inaugua, 16 days; John Tilton, Murphy, Nfld, 5 days. Eclipse, Smith, St. Jago, 15 days; Greyhound, Gammage, Norfolk, 12 days; William and Mary, Petipas, Canso, 4 days; Ocean Bride, Norfolk, U. S.

THURSDAY, 26 .- Steamers Eastern State, Crossby, Boston via Yarmouth, 2 days. to B. Wier & Co. and others; Neptune, Young, Liverpool; Brigt. Bloomer, do.; Schrs Julia, (pkt) Simpson, St. John, N. B., to T A S DeWolf; Rival, Dunlap, Liverpool; Messenger, McLean, Shelburae; Echo, Richardson, Chester, 6 hours; George, Purney, Shelburne; Fair Play, McKay, Annapolis; Phantom, Dickson, Liverpool.

FRIDAY, 27 .- Steamer Arabia, Stone, Boston, 34 hours; Schrs Barrington, Hopkins, Barrington, 3 days; J. B. Huey, Huey, Port Medway.

SATURDAY, July 28 .- Schrs. Mary, O'Beien, Boston, 4 days; brig Cherokee, James, Liverpool, N.S., 2 days, lumber and 100 passengers; schr. Volant, Grant, Canso, 2 days; steamer Neptune, with Lunenburg Packet in tow, 250 passengers.

Cleared.

Tuesday, July 24.—Quickstep, Douman, Sydney; Peregrine, Docherty. Pictou; Sterling, Landry, Ariat and Strait of Canso; Fame, Jackson. Barringto Rapid, McDonald, Cn. Town, P E I; Mary McKenzie, Crowell, Nfld; Amelia, Gerrior, P E I.

Wednesday, 25.—Rapid, Lorway, Sydney; Three Brothers, Cann, Labrador; Canada, Lrng, Boston; Lark Frank, Fortune Bay, Nfld.

THURSDAY, 26.—Mazeppa, McDonald, Sydney; Mariner, Kenney, Labrador; Delta, Hunter, Bermuda and St. Thomas; Arabia, Stone, Liverpool, G. B.; Brother, Gallop, Nfld; Ann Leonard, Leonard, Picton; Lord Raglan, Sterns, Nfld; Maria, Murdech, Boston, Mass.

FRIDAY, 27.—Alphonsine, Fournier, Boston, J F. Phelan; Balermo, Sterns, Nfld-W Pitts & Co; Spray, Martin, Kingston, Ja -B Wier & Co.

SATURDAY, 28 .- Mayflower, Gerrior, Arichat-Young & Hartt; Areo, Boudroit, Arichat, CB .- master; Sea Foam, Snow, Barrington-Esson, Boak & Co.; Elizabeth, Smith, Barrington-J A Moren; Gold Hunter, McKay, P E Island-B Wier & Co; Ellen, Curry, Bay Chaleur-master.

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NOTICE.

Aug. 1.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE for mak-I ing preparations for the reception of the Prince of Wales, beg to call the earnest attention of the citizens to the Mayor's Proclamation against setting off crackers, squibs, etc., during the period of the Prince's visit, and more esp evening of the Illumination. It will be impossible for ladies to view the City or the Fleet on that evening with any degree of safety if the senseless and dangerous practice of exploiding crackers, &c., is indulged in. The committee are informed that his Worship and the City Council are determined to eaforce the law against this practice most rigidly, but they confidently trust to the good feeling of the citizens to aid in this, as in all other respects, to promote the general welfare.

By order of the Executive Committee. P. CARTERET HILL